



MEDIA ADVISORY

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SCOTT FIELD AIRFEST 2003 MEDIA DAY

SCOTT AIR FORCE BASE, Ill. Media are invited to get a sneak preview of Scott's AirFest, Friday, Sept. 5 from 9 a.m. to noon. The gates at Scott will be open for all media members as well as senior citizens, and mentally and physically disabled people.

Media opportunities include coverage of the F-15 fighter aircraft, T-6 "Texan" aircraft, the Army Golden Knights parachute team, MIG-17 fighter aircraft, Chuck Lischer's F-260 aircraft and Fowler Carey's vintage F-100 aircraft, as well as a Military Working Dog performance and many static displays. Performers will also be available for interviews after their flights.

Media wishing to participate in the media day activities will be escorted from the Shiloh Gate at either of the following times:

- Those wishing for early morning live newscasts should arrive at the Shiloh Gate on Sept. 5 no later than 4:30 a.m.

For coverage of the AirFest demonstrations and activities, media members should arrive at the Shiloh Gate no later than 8 a.m.

Media flights will be given on the following aircraft:

The Golden Knights C-31 aircraft; showtime will be 9 a.m.

The KC-135 refueler aircraft; showtime will be 7 a.m. (The mission will include an in-

flight refueling of an F-16 fighter)

Please RSVP to the 375th Airlift Wing Public Affairs office at (618) 256-4241, or (618) 256-5891, after duty hours, no later than Sept. 3 if you are planning to attend this event.

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